

December 19

DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

Today's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Arabia, Bay of Islands, N. F., 1600
bbls. salt herring.

Today's Fish Market.

These prices are based on the last known sales.

Eastern "hallbut" codfish, \$4.37 1-2 per
cwt. for large and \$3.25 for small.
Fresh herring \$1.50 per bbl.
Salt dory handline bank cod, \$4.75 per
cwt. for large and \$3.75 for medium.
Bank halibut, 14 cts. per lb. for white and
12 cts. for gray.

Boston.

Sch. Ida M. Silva, 4000 haddock, 4000 cod,
3000 hake.
Sch. Georgianna, 200 haddock, 1000 cod, 200
hake.
Sch. M. Madeleine, 1500 haddock, 15,000
cod, 1000 pollock.
Sch. Sheffeyld, 4000 pollock.
Sch. Lucania, 40,000 haddock, 10,000 cod,
5000 hake.
Sch. Cynthia, 45,000 haddock, 12,000 cod,
15,000 hake.
Sch. Onato, 48,000 haddock, 20,000 cod,
8000 hake.
Sch. Tecumseh, 3700 haddock, 10,000 cod,
1500 hake.
Sch. Marshall L. Adams, 4000 haddock,
1000 cod, 2000 hake.
Sch. Buema, 1000 haddock, 1000 cod, 1000
hake.
Sch. Ella M. Doughty, 10,000 haddock,
3000 cod, 3000 hake.
Sch. Slade Gorton, 50,000 haddock, 20,000
cod, 2000 hake.
Sch. Mary A. Whalen, 13,000 haddock,
4000 cod, 6000 hake.
Sch. Mooween, 16,000 haddock, 6000 cod,
4000 hake.
Sch. Francis J. O'Hara, Jr., 12,000 had-
dock, 15,000 cod, 10,000 hake.
Sch. Elizabeth Silsbee, 4000 haddock, 5000
cod, 8000 hake.
Sch. Conqueror, 45,000 haddock, 15,000
cod, 5000 hake.
Sch. Mystery, 8000 haddock, 1000 cod.
Sch. Mary Edith, 2500 haddock, 1000 cod,
500 hake.
Haddock, \$3.50 to \$3.65 per cwt.; large
cod, \$4.50 to \$5; market cod, \$1.75 to \$3;
hake, \$2.50 to \$4.50; pollock, \$3.50; cusk,
\$2.

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Large Cargo of Cured Fish.

Sch. Kate L. Pray which arrived here
yesterday from Matineus, Me., had a large
cargo of cured fish, having 1500 quintals.

Sch. Emma F. Chase from Jonesport and
other Maine ports, which also arrived yester-
day, and was supposed to have cured fish,
had instead a cargo of smoked boxed herring
for George Perkins & Son and canned goods
for Shute & Merchant.

Good Stock.

Sch. Ella M. Goodwin, Capt. James D.
Goodwin, stocked \$1500 as the result of her
recent haddocking trip, landed at this port.

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Today's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. William Walker, Provincetown, 200
qtls. cured fish.
Sch. J. W. Bradley, Maine Coast.

Boston.

Sch. Manomet, 3000 haddock, 1000 cod, 50
hake.
Sch. Florida, 2000 haddock, 12,000 cod.
Sch. Rita A. Viator, 2000 haddock 700 cod.
Sch. Hortense, 1500 haddock, 500 cod, 2000
hake.
Sch. Mildred V. Nunan.
Sch. Nokomis, 2000 haddock, 8000 cod.
Sch. Carrie F. Roberts, 700 haddock, 300
cod.
Sch. Mary E. Silveira, 10,000 haddock,
1000 cod, 3000 hake.
Sch. Richard J. Nunan, 5000 haddock,
1000 cod, 500 hake.
Sch. Olive F. Hutchins, 8000 haddock, 2000
cod, 1000 hake.
Sch. Sadie M. Nunan, 4000 haddock, 2000
cod, 2000 cusk, 3000 pollock.
Sch. Lillian, 12,000 haddock, 16,000 cod,
3000 cusk.
Sch. Flora J. Sears, 4000 haddock, 1500
cod.
Sch. Margaret Dillon, 6000 haddock, 2000
cod, 6000 hake.
Sch. Lillian, 15,000 cod.
Sloop Crescent, 1500 haddock, 1500 cod,
1000 hake.
Sch. Rose Standish, 5000 haddock, 4000
cod.
Sch. Henrietta G. Martin, 3500 haddock,
500 cod, 1800 hake.
Sch. Mertis H. Perry, 6000 cod.
Sch. Catherine and Ellen, 12,000 haddock,
4000 cod, 10,000 hake.
Haddock, \$3 to \$3.75 per cwt.; large
cod, \$3 to \$3.50; market cod, \$2 to \$2.50;
hake, \$2 to \$4; cusk, \$1 to \$2; pollock,
\$2.75.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. Myra Sears sailed from Portland yes-
terday.

Sch. Jennie B. Hodgdon was at North
Sydney, C. B., last Friday, bound for Bay
of Islands. Two other American fishing
vessels were there on the same date.

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SHARK OVERTURNED DORY.

Down East Trawler Had Desperate Fight with Monster.

The fishing schooner Albert W. Black
arrived at Portland yesterday and Anthony
Dexter, one of the crew told of his fight Mon-
day off Matineus with an enormous shark.

It was aggressive and made repeated rushes
for his dory and finally overturned it, but
Capt. Johnson and one of the crew saved
him.

He believes the shark was of the man-eat-
ing variety.

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Herring News.

The British sch. Roanoke arrived at this
port this morning from Bay of Islands, N.
F., with 1700 barrels of salt herring, con-
signed to the Gorton-Pew Fisheries Co.

Cured Fish Shipment.

Sch. Kate L. Pray, which arrived here
yesterday with a large cargo of cured fish,
was consigned to the Gorton-Pew Fisheries
Co.

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ICE FLOES IN THE STRAIT.

Mail Boat Met Heavy Ice Field Drifting South.

FIONA LOSES COPPER IN ICE.

Short Herring Season Looked for at Bay of Islands.

The following despatch from St. John's,
N. F., regarding the ice situation at Bay of
Islands and in the Gulf of St. Lawrence and
Straits of Belle Isle, again tends to make
much concern for the local vessels that are
now loading herring at the former place:

"It is feared that the herring fishing at
the Bay of Islands will have to be aban-
doned shortly because of the very cold weath-
er.

"The mail boat from Belle Isle sirais has
been forced to return here owing to the heavy
ice floe drifting to the south. There is much
apprehension among the herring fishers lest a
number of vessels be frozen fast for the win-
ter.

"The revenue cutter Fiona, while forcing
her way through the floes on Monday to get
out of Humber inlet, had all the copper
stripped from her hull. The British cruiser
Brilliant is still here awaiting orders from
the British admiralty."

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Today's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Raymah, Cape Shore, 55,000 lbs
fresh fish.
Br. sch. Roanoke, Bay of Islands, N. F.
1700 bbls. salt herring.
Sch. Moanani, via Boston.
Sch. Mina Swim, via Boston.
Sch. Viking, shore.
Sch. George H. Lube, shore.
Sch. Rita A. Viator, via Boston.
Sch. Ida S. Brooks, via Boston.
Sch. Mary Edith, via Boston.
Sch. Flora J. Soars, via Boston.
Sch. Manomet, via Boston.
Sch. Hortense, via Boston.
Sch. Belbina P. Domingoes, via Boston.
Sch. Sheffeyld, shore.

Boston.

Sch. Favorite, 2000 cod.
Sch. Marion, 500 cod, 300 pollock.
Sch. Minerva, 3500 haddock, 1000 cod, 1000
hake.
Sch. Mattie Brundage, 500 cod.
Sch. Sylvia M. Nunan, 5000 haddock, 1000
cod.
Sch. A. C. Newhall, 1600 haddock, 500
cod.
Sch. Helen B. Thomas, 2500 haddock, 500
cod.
Sch. Maud F. Silva, 5000 haddock, 1000
cod, 3000 hake.
Sch. Rebecca, 3000 haddock, 4000 cod.
Sch. Emily Cooney, 7000 haddock, 1000
cod, 6000 hake.
Sch. Mary E. Cooney, 7000 haddock, 2000
cod, 1000 hake.

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Sch. Walter P. Goulart, 4000 haddock, 1000 cod, 2000 hake.
Sch. Catherine G. Howard, 15,000 haddock 3000 cod, 1000 hake.
Sch. Genesta, 6500 haddock, 2000 cod, 2000 hake.
Sch. Harmony, 12,000 haddock, 2000 cod, 3000 hake.
Sch. Flavilla, 2000 haddock, 5000 hake.
Sch. Mary F. Fallon, 5000 haddock, 2000 cod, 1000 hake.
Sch. Catherine D. Enos, 3590 haddock, 500 cod, 4000 hake.
Sch. Quonnapowit, 7000 haddock, 6000 cod.
Sch. Theresa and Alice, 10,000 haddock, 2000 cod, 7000 hake.
Sch. Queen of the Sea, 1000 haddock, 1000 hake.
Sch. Etta Mildred, 3000 haddock, 500 cod, 2000 hake.
Sch. Frances P. Mesquita, 3500 haddock, 5500 cod, 13,000 hake.
Sch. Mattakeesett, 5000 haddock, 1000 cod, 4000 hake.
Sch. Hope, 4500 haddock, 2000 cod, 3000 hake.
Sch. Esther Gray, 1000 haddock, 2000 cod.
Sch. Mary Emerson, 3000 pollock.
Sch. Mildred V. Nunan, 3500 haddock, 1000 cod, 3000 hake.
Sch. James S. Steele, 2000 haddock, 500 cod.
Sch. Dorothy, 200 haddock, 800 cod, 700 hake.
Sch. Robert and Arthur, 12,000 haddock, 4000 cod.
Sch. Kernwood, 4000 haddock, 1000 cod, 1000 hake.
Haddock, \$3 per cwt.; large cod, \$3; market cod, \$2; hake, \$1.50 to \$2.50; pollock, \$2.

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Herring News.

Recent telegrams from Bay of Islands, N. F., state that all the ice is now gone there, but that herring have been very scarce for several days.

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Today's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Dictator, haddock, 60,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Sch. Mary E. Cooney, shore.
Sch. Emily Cooney, shore.
Sch. Lafayette, shore.
Sch. Julietta, shore.
Sloop Morning Star, shore.

Boston.

Sch. Seaconnet, 4000 haddock, 1500 cod, 3500 hake.
Sch. Illinois, 5000 haddock, 13,000 cod, 10,000 hake, 4000 cusk.
Sch. Actor, 6000 cod.
Sch. Ellen F. Gleason, 2000 haddock, 1000 pollock.
Sch. Orinoco, 30,000 haddock, 20,000 cod, will go to Gloucester.
Sch. Joseph W. Lufkin, 6000 haddock, 4000 cod, 10,000 hake, 5000 cusk.
Sch. Louise M. Silva, 40,000 haddock, 15,000 cod, 5000 hake, will go to Gloucester.
Haddock, \$2.25 to \$3.50 per cwt.; large cod, \$2.50 to \$3; market cod, \$1.25 to \$1.75.

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FROZEN HERRING COMING.

British. Sch. Eva June on Way with Cargo.

Items of Interest from Fleet at Bay of Islands.

The British sch. Eva June, which is under charter to Capt. Frank H. Hall of this city, is now on the way here from Bay of Islands, N. F., with a full cargo of natural frost herring. This will probably be the first natural frost cargo of Newfoundland herring to arrive this season.

Capt. Hall's own vessel, sch. Ralph L. Hall is also on the way home here from Bay of Islands, N. F., with a cargo of salt herring and a cabin load of frozen herring. Herring are still very scarce at Bay of Islands.

The Bay of Islands, N. F., Western Star of Wednesday has the following herring items of interest:

"It is reported that after the Potomac broke up ice around some of the vessels in Middle Arm, the Atlantic offered to tow them out for \$75 each.

"The gasoline launch Vendita, owned by Capt. Joseph Petipas, was sunk Saturday evening. She was being towed out the arm attached to the Mindora, when she filled with water and went to the bottom off The Farms. We learn she was insured.

"Sch. Mary W. S., after having taken away a cargo of salt bulk herring for the Halifax Cold Storage Co., returned Monday for a frozen cargo. She brought a quantity of salt for Augwin & Co., and while anding it ice formed around her. The Atlantic attempted on Thursday to tow her out; but when three miles from Pleasant Cove the ice was so strong, the steamer could not tow the vessel through it, and she had to be taken back to starting point.

"Last Thursday the angel Death visited the fishing fleet in this bay, and claimed as its victim James Batton. He was fishing on the Gloucester vessel Veda M. McKowan in Middle Arm, having joined her at St. Pierre. The deceased was stricken on Tuesday with inflammation of the bowels, and for two days suffered intense agony. He was 38 years of age, and belonged to Lamaline, at which place a wife and three small children survive him. The remains were taken to Lark Harbor Saturday to await an opportunity to be taken to Lamaline. The sorrowing relatives have the sympathy of the members of the whole fleet.

"Since the last report there has not been much doing with this industry. At North Arm a great many vessels have their scaffolds erected on which to freeze the fish, but lately they have been very scarce there.

"There is an abundance of herring in Penguin and Goose Arms, particularly in the latter, and the further up the Arm the more plentiful the fish. It is said that Thomas Kennedy has frozen about one thousand baskets on the ice. Those fish are now selling for 75 cents a basket or about \$3 a barrel.

"The American vessels Harry A. Nickerson, Lucinda and Nourmahal sailed Monday, also Sch. Mary E. Duff, of Luenburg, making the fourth cargo for the Atlantic Fisheries Co. The American vessel Lena and Maud and the Newfoundland vessel Harry Lewis were ready to sail on Monday.

"The American vessels Ralph E. Hall and Dauntless wanted 100 bbls. salt bulk each on Monday, and the Eva June wanted 100 bbls. frozen herring. If the ice keeps clear of the arms, other cargoes will be ready within a few days. There are lots of herring in Humber Arm, but there is no one fishing for them, as the vessels and fishermen are all in the outer arms."

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BIGGEST TRIPS OF WINTER.

Schs. Romance and Speculator at This Port with Splendid Fares.

Sch. Romance, Capt. William Corkum, arrived at this port yesterday, from the Cape Shore, with the largest fresh fish trip of the present winter season, having over 90,000 pounds, mostly haddock. Capt. Corkum has had a big trip every time this season.

Sch. Speculator, Capt. Currie, arrived yesterday also, and like the Romance is from the Cape Shore, and has 80,000 pounds of fresh fish, which is one of the best fares of the season.

Both vessels are owned by Hugh Parkhurst & Co., so owners, skippers and crew have quite a nice Christmas present for themselves this morning.

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Steamer Spray Has Another Small Trip.

The steam otter trawler Spray arrived at Boston this morning with a small fare, about 20,000 pounds of fresh fish.

Good Pollock Trip.

Sch. Mary A. Gleason, Capt. Joseph Graham, is at T wharf, Boston, today, with a big pollock trip for this season of the year, having 24,000 pounds.

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Sch. Romance, Cape Shore, 90,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Sch. Speculator, Cape Shore, 80,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Sch. Orinoco, via Boston, 20,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Sch. Joseph W. Lufkin, via Boston.
Sch. Illinois, via Boston.
Sch. Actor, shore.
Sch. Dorothy, shore.
Sch. Sylvia M. Nunan, shore.

Today's Fish Market.

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Fresh herring \$1.50 per bbl.

Salt dory headline bank cod, \$4.75 per cwt. for large and \$3.75 for medium.

Bank halibut, 14 cts. per lb. for white and 12 cts. for gray.

Splitting prices of fresh fish; Large Eastern cod, \$1.75; medium do., \$1.25; large Western cod, \$2.02 1-2; medium do., \$1.37 1-2; haddock, \$1.00; cusk, \$1.75; hake, \$1.40; pollock, 95 cts.

Salt headline Georges codfish, \$5.00 per cwt. for large, \$4.00 for medium.

Salt Trawl Georges codfish, \$5.00 for large \$3.50 for medium.

Salt hake, \$2.00.

Salt haddock, \$2.00.

Salt cusk, \$2.25.

Salt pollock, \$1.75.

Salt trawl bank codfish, \$4.25 to \$4.50 for large, \$3.37 1-2 to \$3.50 for medium and \$2.00 for snappers.

Round pollock, \$1.00 per cwt.

Shore salt herring, \$1.75 per bbl. clear of the barrel.